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Board of Trade Big Smoker and Lunch

Plans for the Board of Trade Smoker and buffet lunch Friday night in connection with the regular monthly meeting in Ruthenian hall, Schoonmaker avenue and Second street, are progressing very satisfactory. At the business meeting, which will last from 8 until 9 o'clock, interesting reports will be made by officers, and special and standing committees.

The Smoker proper and lunch will be staged soon after 9 o'clock. This part of the program is in charge of the executive committee, which will do all work and save expenses. Burgess A. G. Dunlap will act as head waiter

The last order of the evening will be twenty minute or half hour speeches. Attorney Carl Gibson of Monongahela has consented to come and discuss the pros and cons of the Third Class City idea for towns of this size. Also J. B. Ayers of McKeesport, well known here as a fluent and instructive speaker on civic topics, will address the meeting.

Phil Brenner, member of the Board, will preside at the piano, and another member, A. W. Johns, borough engineer, will sing at least once during the evening. "Jack" Keefer, always popular with Monessen audiences, will be asked to enliven the occasion if he is not working night turn Friday.

Nearly a full membership of the Board is expected present.

If you eat ice cream, eat the best. Hagan's, for sale exclusively at Kirk's drug stores.

WEDNESDAY

St. Patrick's Day

We Have Secured

500 Shamrocks which we will distribute to our patrons

WEDNESDAY

See our Easter suits at

$15.00

Ready to wear or made to measure.

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Salvation Army is Having Great Success

The revival meetings begun at the Salvation Army hall are still in progress with growing interest and new additions are being made in the Army ranks all the time. These meetings have been going on for more than eight weeks.

Sunday evening the attendance was the largest that has been in the hall at the corner of Schoonmaker avenue and Seventh street, during the meeting's progress the place being packed to the doors.

During the service seven young men went forward seeking the better life, and their professions made nine who came out on the right side during the past week.

Capt. Ives states that there will be a large class to be taken as new members in Salvation Army ranks the latter part of the month which will make the Monessen Army among the strongest and the best in Western Pennsylvania.

Capt. Ives informs us that in his work in this section he s finds financial conditions better than they have been for the six months that he has been here.

Especally does he find conditions better and more people working about

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Remember the Philadelphia Candy Kitchen for fresh home-made candies tomorrow, St. Patrick's day. Everything in the way of Chocolates, Caramels, Nut, Fruit and all kinds of Bon Bons and assorted home-made candies, 15c and 20c a pound. Everything made by careful hands. Come in, we'll welcome you and treat you right. 1t

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Don't forget "The Hoosier Schoolmaster" at the Star theatre today. 1t

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"Exploits of Elaine" tomorrow, at the Olympic.

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has installed a large modern **Safe Deposit Vault** containing 250 private boxes for securities, personal papers and valuables.

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SOME IMPORTANT BUSINESS CHANGES

G. A. Homann Buys Economy Shoe Shop and Takes Immediate Possession: Schlup Takes Over Homann Room. A. R. Ney Company Busy Expanding.

A big business deal was consumated yesterday when G. A. Homann the Donner avenue shoe dealer purchased the entire stock and outfit of the Economy Shoe Shop. The store was owned and operated by a Pittsburg jobbing house and Mr. Homann has had negotiations for the place for some time, but terms were not agreed upon until yesterday when the papers were signed and the lease on the building transferred to Mr. Homann. Within a few days an enormous sale will be inaugurated and it is hoped to clean out the stock within the next sixty days.

The room will be occupied by the Homann shoe store on or about July first. As soon as the Economy stock can be disposed of the store room will be thoroughly renovated by the owner S. F. Loeb of McKeesport. The interior will be repainted and decorated and new fixtures installed and in every way the store will be made an attractive and home institution.

Mr. Homann is an up to date shoe man and the consolidation of the stores not only means a permanent location for his business, but it is important to the future needs of the community in the mercantile line. The room that will be vacated by this transaction will be occupied by the N. W. Schlup department store, Mr. Schlup having leased the entire Trescher building for a period of ten years and it was his intention to take the room as soon as Mr. Homann could vacate without any inconvenience to his business.

There are more business changes in the Donner square between Fifth and Sixth this spring than any previous season. Many of our stores are enlarging on account of greatly increased business. The A. R. Ney company is enlarging to almost double the original capacity. The Motz Lumber company is now remodeling the Cox building recently vacated by the Luce Hardware company and it will be thrown into a big department emporium. A big show window is being placed the entire length of the Ney store with an extension on the alley next to the real etate firm of Duvall & Duvall. It is hoped to have the contract completed by April first.

The W. S. Moore furniture company has given up one room to the Luce Hardware company and installed balconies all the way around the room The Luce Hardware now owned by Geo. A. Kirscher has been moved and is comfortably located. Most of the merchants are optomistic for the future and are preparing for a good summer season.

Cleo Madison in "Their Hour," a two reel drama, at the Olympic today.

MARY PICKFORD

In a new version in "Hearts Adrift" This paramount picture will be shown in 4 acts at the Luna Theatre, Wednesday, March 17. 34-2t

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"The Last Dance" at the Olympic today.

TRADE MARK REGISTERED

Lots of the boys are taking advantage on those big reductions on medium weights.

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The Royal Tailor Man,
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Our millinery department is superior. Why? Because the leading styles predominate, for the young lady, junior, mother or child, will find her choice more complete here than elsewhere.

Our millinery department is under the supervision of Miss Meizkes and assisted by expert makers and designers. We ll welcome you for inspection.

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Congress of Mothers Hold a Good Meeting

The Monessen Circle of the National Congress of Mothers met Monday afternoon at 2:30 in Kelly's hall with a splendid attendance.

After the regular routine business of the organization, a very interesting and able discussion of the subject, "Why Mothers Should Organize," was given by Mrs. J. E. Newcomer, which was greatly enjoyed.

The president, Mrs. G. H. Thomas, gave a very interesting report from the meeting at the Fort Pitt hotel, Pittsburg, she and Mrs. W. A. Woods being the representatives of this circle at that meeting, where batters of interest to the National Association, were discused. The most prominent at present being the Child Labor Bill.

The next regular meeting of the local circle will be held Monday, April 5, at which a full program will be given and at which time an able out of town speaker will probably be present to address the organization and friends of the work.

Every one interested is invited to be present and hear this address, full announcement of which will be given later.

ONE WONDERFUL NIGHT

Better known as one wonderful picture at the Luna Theatre today. Featuring Francis X. Bushman. This feature is in 4 acts. 1t

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Hagan's ice cream—Exclusive sale at Kirk's drug stores.

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Suffrage Passes the Senate by Good Vote

Harrisbur, Pa., March 16—By a vote of 37 to 11 the Senate last night passed the proposed amendment to the Constitution providing for equal suffrage. Hence the question will now be passed on to the people to vote yea or nay, next November.

This amendment was voted on and adopted by the present House some weeks ago; it was also favored on joint resolution by the 1913 Legislature.

The Senate chamber was packed almost to suffocation when the vote was taken, the suffragists far outnumbered the antis.

The suffragists wore yellow tulips while each anti wore a red rose and after the vote was taken each side made a wild rush to decorate their supporting Senators. When the vote was taken and the result announced the confusion in the Senate chamber was so great that Lieutenant Governor McCallin broke the ivory hammer of his gavel rapping for order, and the splintered bits of it showered down over the heads of the desk clerks sitting beneath him.

The women made considerable noise but they were far outclassed by the men in showing their elation.

Senator W. E. Crow, Chairman of the Republican State Committee in favoring the adoption of the resolution stated that the party could not break faith, and every Senator elected as a Republican last year was in duty bound to support the proposition.

"In supporting this resolution here in the Senate as the fulfillment of a party pledge," he said "does not imply that any Senator is pledged to support equal suffrage at the polls in November. Our party pledge was for the submission of the question to the people. We did not guarantee women the ballot."

Conkey's Laying Tonic will make the hens lay more eggs—25c and 50c at Kirk's.

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Peoples Forum.

This column is devoted to the expression of the opinion of our readers and in no wise denotes the paper's opinion on or sympathy with any question involved.

Editor Daily Independent:—

The petition which was placed before the Borough Council asking that the city charter be changed from that of a borough into one of a city of the Third Class, of which ournames appear thereon.

At the time of signing of said petition we were not full acquainted with the facts that are embodied in this act, as to what the results might be should this change be made, and after having become more fully acquainted with the act which is in itself explanitory, believe that the electors should be very careful and hesitate before taking the responsibility this new law might inflict upon us. As we unqerstand the matter it is a new law having been operative only since July 1913, and is now passing through its experimental stage and according to the newspapers there are bills before the State Legislature at present asking for radical changes in the bill. If this be the result there is every reason to believe that the bill is not a success in its present stage, possibly it might work in boroughs of a population of 40,000 or more people then the increase of expense could be borne more easily.

The majority of our people of Monessen are endeavoring to build for themselves little homes and in many instances these hom - are heavily mortgaged, and the depression in business at this time has caused many of these people grave alarm lest they may not be able to meet the payments upon these mortgages and pay the taxes which is already seemingly high and should this new form of government have a tendency to increase taxes and other expenses in general it will work a great hardship upon the small investor who is putting forth every effort to meet his just obligations and we have every reason to believe that our taxes will be increased by reason of the fact that our overhead expenses will be greatly increased. Therefore we entreat that our neighbor and fellow man be cautious before taking upon himself any new form of government at this time

Signer of the 106

PAY AS YOU GO.

"Twenty years ago most cities and towns, on making any large public improvement, used to pay for it in bonds running 20 to 30 years. A good many people have only recently had to reinvest seven per cent. bonds issued as far back as 1880 or 1885 by many of the larger cities. During much of this period, these cities have been able to borrow money for four per cent. and even less. The burden placed on the taxpayers by local governments that issued these bonds was enormous," says an exchange.

"There is to-day a growing realization of the heavy burden placed on taxpayers by this policy of making posterity pay. Interest rates are higher now than they were a few years ago. Cities that issue serial bonds for 15 and 20 years will pay two dollars for one.

"any of the old timers used to argue that it was a good thing for a municipality to have a public debt. It tended toward economy, they said. It checked the spendthrift element, and led to a conservative financial policy. There may be something in this but as a whole the present generation is and nonchaint financial policy of its paying dearly for the light hearted fathers.

"It is a favorite politician's scheme to borrow money, load off the burdens of administration on future years, provide a low tax rate for the current year, and go to the people on the issue of economy. Frequently it works. but some day the debt must be paid. Then it is learned that nothing stops the growth of a town quicker than high taxes. Authorities on municipal finances today all favor paying for improvements in the least possible time."—Chester Times.

Prejudice existing among some people against the Boy Scout movement is based on ignorance. The society is not a military organization; quite the reverse, and it has a noble purpose.

Since we all need the charitable consideration of our friends we should gladly extend it to others. It costs nothing to banish hatreds.

Terrible Sores

No Matter How Chronic, Craig's Drug Store Guarantees San Cura Ointment to Give Relief and Often Permanent Cure.

"My daughter was troubled for over a year with a fever sore on her leg, and was helpless in bed for three months. To the great surprise of all, including the four doctors who had attended her, San Cura Ointment healed the sore in less than six weeks."—J. D. Hood, Townville, Pa.

Karl C. Banks of the Atlantic Refining Co. of Pittsburgh, had a sore on his ankle for a year. He doctored and tried various remedies, without relief. He says: "San Cura Ointment worked like a charm; reduced the swelling and healed the sore in two weeks."

Bear in mind that besides sores, San Cura Ointment is used with great success in eczema, boils, carbuncles, salt rheum, tetter, also itching, bleeding and protruding piles. In cases of burns, scalds, cuts and bruises, San Cura Ointment is most valuable. The price is only 25 cents and 50 cents a jar and Craig's Drug store guarantees it.

WILLIS BRIGGS BOWLED AT CLARKSBURG

Willis Brigg , who has assumed management of the Arcade bowling alleys on Donner avenue left Sunday evening for Clarksburg, W Va. where he and Sheppard of Braddock last evening bowled a match game with Hassenpflug and Ingram. this match was considered among the strongest pin teams in W[illegible]

EVANGELIST BEMIES TO BE HERE SOON

Rev. H. O. MacDonald announced from the pulpit Sunday that Rev. C. O. Bemies, who has lately closed the exceptionally fine evangelistic campaign at Webster, would begin a series of meetings in the First Presbyterian church, here at Monessen next Sabbath evening.

The Pastor has been endeavoring to secure the service of this strong evangelist for some time, and during the week he secured the promise of Rev. emies to come and take charge of the meeting.

The service will begin each evening at 7:30 and continue every night until further notice. Not less than a two weeks meeting is contemplated and possibly three.

The usual Easter Communion services will be observed on April fourth. These meetings are open to the public and a hearty invitation is extended to everybody to come and hear a strong man, preach the Old Gospel in its purity and in the power of the spirit.

Good music will be furnished by the choir, under the direction of R. A. Wilson, who has taken the place of Prof. Jenkins who lately resigned.

AN OVERBURDENED WIFE

If the work that women do and the pains they suffer could be measured in figures, what a terrible array they would present. Through girlhood, wifehood and motherhood woman toils on, suffering with backache, pains in side, headaches and nervousness which are tell tale symptoms of organic derangements which Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—made from roots and herbs—can undoubtedly correct. Women who suffer should not give up hope until they have given it a trial.

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. All conveniences. 350 Donner avenue. 33-3tp

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FOR RENT—A three story building situated in Charlerei on McKean avenue nearly opposite Wellington hotel. Adapted for any business, but at present used as a restaurant and boarding house. Cemented cellar under whole building, 22-70 ft. Stable on rear of lot. Enquire of or write E. A. Furlong, Druggist, Roscoe, Pa. 3-3tp

FOR RENT—April 1st, a 4 room apartment, bath, laundry and hot water heat. Mrs. Rinehart. Phone 285-L. 32-3t

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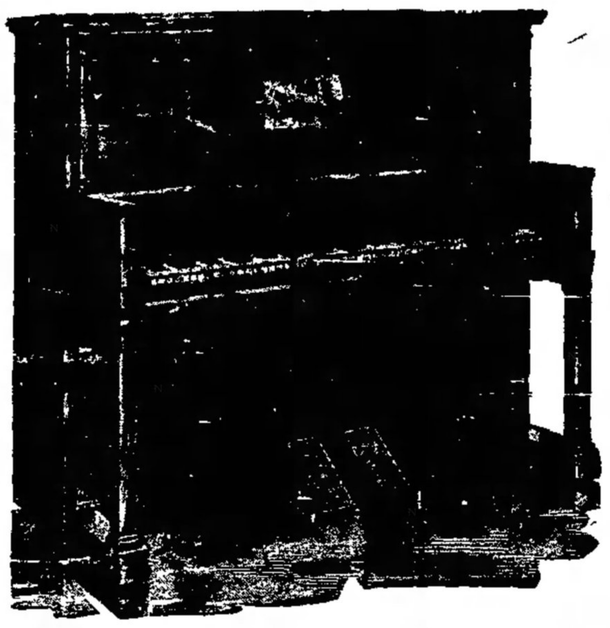

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ONE COUNTY DRY WHILE TWO ARE WET

Venango county will remain dry another year, Judge George S. Criswell yesterday refusing all of the 17 applications for liquor licenses.

At Kittaning for Armstrong county Judge King yesterday granted 45 licenses, refusing 9.

Judge William H. Ruppel at Somerset Monday. granted 56 retail licenses, three more than last year, and refusing nine. Three breweries were granted.

Extra Large Jury Panel

In court at Greensburg Monday morming, an order was made directing the sheriff to draw a list of one hundred jurors for May term of quarter sessions court. This is the first time in the history of Westmoreland county when a venire facias was issued by the court for so large a number of jurors.

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HOW FRENCH PEOPLE CURE STOMACH TROUBLE

A household remedy of the French peasantry, consisting of pure vegetable oil, and said to possess wonderful merit in the treatment of stomach, liver and intestinal troubles, has been introduced in this country by George H Mayr, who for twenty years has been one of the leading down-town druggists of Chicago and who himself was cured by its use. So quick and effective is its action that a single dose is usually enough to bring pronounced relief in the most stubborn cases, and many people who have tried it declare they never heard of anything to produce such remarkable results in so short a time It is known as Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and can now be had at all leading drug stores. It is sold with the positive understanding that your money will be refunded without question or quibble if ONE bottle fails to give you absolute satisfaction

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DOING THEIR DUTY

Scores of Monessen Readers are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys

To filter the blood is the kidneys' duty

When they fail to do this, the kidneys are weak.

Backache and other kidney ills may follow:

Help the kidneys to do their work.

Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the tested kidney remedy.

Monessen people endorse their worth

Mrs. J. F. Leonard, 7 McKee avenue, Monessen, says: "I was bothered by a dull, heavy pain in my back for several years. While doing my housework, my back throbbed just like a toothache. If I stooped over, the pain caught me and I could hardly straighten. I often got so dizzy that I had to sit down. My head ached and my eyes were effected I felt tired and langpid all the time. I tried everything but didn't improve until I got Doan's Kidney Pills at the Hirsch Drug Co. The second box drove away the trouble. Occasionally I take a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills when I work hard or catch cold. They never fail to help me."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs Feightner had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Salvation Army Having Great Success

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Monessen, thus reducing to a minimum the need for aid in a charitable way. This is a very encouraging state, not only to the Army, the Churches and Charitatable institutions but to our merchants and business interests, as it speaks well for a bright and prosperous summer for our home town.

Capt. Ives has a large hall rented at Fairhope where he conducts meetings Tuesday and Friday evenings and on Sunday mornings, and the hall is always filled, with deep interest shown, people coming to the services from miles around the country.

Friday evening Capt. Ives will speak in the new Emanuel Baptist church at Donora, where interesting revival services are being held.

CHAIRS NEEDED

Any person having old chairs that they would care to donate to the Salvation army to be used in the Army hall, will confer a favor by notifying Capt. Ives.

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Uncle Eben.

"De man dat tries to put on airs," said Uncle Eben, "throws hisself entirely on de mercy of folks dat is too polite to laugh."

Sunday Gets Big Contribution

It is estimated that "Billy" Sunday so far has received more than $100.000 from the people of Philadelphia. The most conservative estimate of the sum received up to tonight was $80,000, and this does not take in consideration the thousands of envelopes distributed throughout the city to be sent tothe Land Title & Trust Co. and credited to the evangelist's account.

Good Things for St. Patrick's Day

The Philadelphia Candy Kitchen is prepared with everything for St. Patrick's Day. All flavors of ice cream and the daintiest of Sherbets. All the old time Sundeas and some new favorites Drop into our parlor tomorrow and celebrate St. Patrick's Day by enjoying some of our home-made delicacies. 1t

To Erect a Garage

E. M Frye has let the contract to Geo. S. Shrader & Son for the erection of a private automobile garage on the vacant lot on Schoonmaker avenue opposite Bornsteins furniture store. The building is now in course of construction and is to be completed by the time the first robin twitters.

A Food and Nerve Tonic
is frequently required by old age. We always recommend
Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion
containing Hypophosphites
as an ideal combination for this purpose.
Craig's Drug Store

Odbert With Shaw Company

Francis Odbert has accepted a position as additional salesman for the Shaw Motor company. He will still operate his taxi service and will spend the remainder of his time with the Motor company. Francis is a Ford worshipper and can show the qualities of the Ford in a convincing manner.

Attended Ministerial Meeting

Rev. J M. Jamieson of the United Presbyterian church, returned home last evening from Pittsburgh, where he spent the day attendind a meeting of the Pittsburgh Ministerial Association of his denomination which was held in the Publication building rooms on North street. He reports an interesting and beneficial meeting.

Age is Not the Cause
of your hair falling out. It is the condition of your scalp.
Rexall "93" Hair Tonic
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The Isabel Thoburn class of the M. E. Sunday school will hold a social Tuesday evening in the Ruthenian hall, and a pleasant time is promised all who attend. A program will be rendered and a lunch served. 32-3t

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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MACCABEES GO TO TABERNACLE THIS EVENING

The Monessen Macabee Ladies expect to go to Charleroi this evening to attend a tabernacle meeting at the Minges revival, along with other Hives of the valley, and a big Maccabee night is being looked for. Monessen Lady Maccabees are to take the 6:30 car from here, and all who can are urged to go, and a hearty welcome will baeocerdf TheIfM-soDliESE e will be accorded all.

Sunday was Malta day at the Minges Tabernacle, Charleroi, the building being filled at the afternoon service by the Knights of Malta from Fayette City, Bentleyville and Coal Center. About twenty Maltas were present from the Monessen Commandery, and Evangelist Minges preached a most powerful sermon suitable to the occassion, which was highly appreciated and enjoyed by all.

Lecture at the Star Was of High Order

The lecture delivered in the Star theatre Sunday afternoon by evangelist W. C. Thorn of Boston, Mass., under the auspices of the Associated Bible Studsents, was reported to be in Monessen in a long time.

One of the finest Biblical talks heard

The subject, "The Overthrow of Satan's Empire and the Establishment of Messiah's Kingdom," was well handled by the speaker, who is well read, possessing a smooth and eloquent delivery. On account of there being several other church meetings scheduled for Sunday afternnon the attendance at Evangelist Thorn's lecture was not as large as might have been. but those who heard him received much enlightenment and help.

Only Two Disorderlies

Mike Homer was before Burgess Dunlap this morning and plead guilty to a charge of drunkenness but as it was his first offense he was discharged without a fine.

Fred Donald plead guilty to being disorderly and was fined $4.00 which he paid.

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A RESOLUTION

Providing for the incorporation of the Borough of Monessen into a city of the third class in conformity with an Act of Assembly approved July 7, 1913, and fixing a day for the holding of an election thereof.

Whereas, an Act of Assembly was approved on the 7th day of July, 1913. providing for and regulating the incorporation into a city of the Third Class of a borough having a population of at least 10,000 inhabitants, according to the preceding Federal census.

Whereas,, the last preceding Federal Census gave the borough of Monessen a population exceeding 10,000 inhabitants, by virtue of which the said borough is entitled to all the benefits granted by said Act of Assembly.

Therefore, be it resolved by the Council of the Borough of Monessen in meeting assembled, that in conformity with the law thus made and provided, there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of said Borough at a special election, the question whether the Borough of Monessen shall or shall not become incorporated as a city of the third class.

That said special election shall be held on the 23rd day of March. A. D. 1915. between the hours of 7 o'clock a. m. and 7 o'clock p. m., at the regular polling places in the First Ward, Second Ward and Third Ward of the Borough; due notice being given of said special election by publication as required by said Act.

Resolved this 10th day of March. 1915.

Charles S. Shrader.
President of Council.

Attest:—
J. E. Pittman.
Secretary of Council.

Examined and approved this 12th day of March, 1915.

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"My fire insurance expires at noon!"
"What company are you in?"
"I don't bother about details."
"Ever take notes from your customers?"
"Sometimes."
"Ever take a note without knowing the name of the man who made it?"
"Well, I guess not!"
"What is a note, anyway?"
"A promise to pay."
"What's a fire insurance policy?"
"I get you! A promise to pay if you have a fire."
"Exactly. You're paying good money for a promise to pay without knowing the name of the company that promises!"
"Say, what company are you in?"
"The panic-proof Hartford Fire Insurance Company. A company that has promptly settled every honest loss for 105 years.
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Local Notes

Frank Kent was a Pittsburg visitor today.

Mrs. Max Janavitz was a Pittsburg business visitor today.

If you want to see pictures that will please, visit the Star. 39-6t

Mrs. W. O. Williams of Beatrice avenue visited friends in the city today.

John Gray, councilman of North Belle Vernon was a business visitor in town today.

RalphLipton is in Pittsburgh today looking after business matters and social affairs as well.

Never miss a Tuesday at the Star. Alliance features and mutual program. Can't be beat. 30-6t

Miss Melaine Metzkes, milliner at the N. W. Schlup store, spent the last week end visiting friends in Pittsburgh.

Chief John Wheatley who was injured by falling down a stairway a few days ago, breaking several ribs is recovering nicely and will soon be able to resume his duties.

Every Tuesday at the Star an Alliance feature with an all star cast and mutual program. Nothing any better. 29-6t

Miss Louise Frazier and her sister Mrs. Lethia Frazier Rankin have gone to Toronto, Ohio, where they will fill a musical engagement after which they will visit friends for a time.

The box office at the New Monessen theatre will be open until 9 o'clock p. m. today for the exchange of tickets for the Moose Minstrel, to be held Wednesday and Thursday, March 17 and 18.

Never miss a Tuesday at the Star. Alliance Features and Mutual program. Can't be beat. 1t

Dennis McCahill's new Haines auto received some pretty hard knocks about 11:30 Saturday when it came in contact with the Amann grocery truck on Second street. One guard was badly injured as was also one front wheel.

"Exploits of Elaine" tomorrow, at the Olympic.

Mrs. C. Disserrie of Schoenmaker avenue spent the day in the city transacting some business matters.

"The Last Dance" at the Olympic today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lafferty of Stockdale are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lafferty of Second street.

Conkey's Starting Food for Baby Chicks—25c and 50c at Kirk's Drug stores.

H. E. Rinehart, sealer of weights and measures was called to Harrisburg on important business in connection with his office.

Mrs. A .S . Shestka returned to her home in Irwin this morning after spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. A. Gettler of Dutchtown.

Mrs. Frank Hayden of Elizabeth, returned to her home today, having spent the last few days with her sister, Mrs. Harry Irwin of Reed ave.

Cleo Madison in "Their Hour," a two reel drama, at the Olympic today.

Don't forget the Braves and the Pirates bowl tonight on the Olympic Alleys in the regular tournament schedule.

Samuel Ankny, Attorney arrived in town last night from Greensburg to look after legal matters here for a couple of days.

Save your Luna Coupons, they are valuable in securing Rogers 25 year guaranteed silverware, a coupon given with each admission at the Luna Theatre. 34-tf

The greatest home-like picture ever produced. "The Hoosier Schoolmaster" at the Star theatre today. A wonderfully realistic strong feature. 1t

The Misses Bessie Dowler, Rhoda Armstrong and Grace Reeder went to Pittsburg on an early morning train to spend the day shopping and attending the theatres.

Remember the St. Patrick dance given by the Pancook orchestra in Turner hall on Wednesday evening. Jesse Caswell and his partner of Pittsburgh will be there to give free lessons and demonstrations on the up-to-date dances. The very best of music by Pancook's orchestra.

Olympic Program.

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WEDNESDAY

"The Oath of Smokey Joe," 2 reel Eclair western drama. "Bill's New Pal," 1 reel L-Ko comedy, with Bill Ritchie. "The Water Cure," 1 reel Joker comedy. "The Creed of the Clan," 1 reel Vitagraph comedy.

THURSDAY

"Fate's Protecting Arm," 1 reel Biograph drama. "The Recoil," 2 reel Big U modern drama. "Such is Life," 1 reel Rex comedy drama. "When Snitz Was Marriaged," 1 reel Sterling comedy. "A Night's Adventure," 1 reel Lubin drama.

FRIDAY

"Photoplay Without a Name," 3 reel Imp drama. For the right name of this picture is offered $50.00 by Universal Co., and $10.00 by Olympic theatre. "Rooms for Rent," 1 reel Victor comedy. "The Apartment House Mystery," 3 reel Kalem drama. "The Girl Detective Series," 2 reel Kalem drama. Also "Helen's Hazards," R.R.series

SATURDAY

"The Loss Ledge," 2 reel Bison mining drama. "Some Nightmare," 1 reel Joker comedo. Animated Weekly No 156, World's Weekly News. "The Fast Mail's Danger," 1 reel Kalem drama. "The Hair of Her Head," 1 reel Vitagraph comedy.

Special for Tuesday

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Special for Wednesday

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